

## County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered Over the County During the Week.

Crushed shells for poultry \$1 per hundred at Burns.

Fleek's poultry food, the best on the market, sold by Burns.

Miss Jennie Vaughn Elliott of Kansas City is the guest of Keytesville relatives.

Attorney John D. Taylor was in Kirksville Saturday on professional business.

"Uncle" J. M. Riddell of Rothville is slowly, but most surely, going to his long home.

Miss Maud Withers of Chillicothe was pleasantly entertained Sunday and Monday by her friend, Miss Maud Bradshaw.

Miss Ruth Riddell of Rothville has not missed a day at school during the past three years nor been tardy one minute during the same period.

Attorney Roy W. Rucker spent Saturday and Sunday in St. Louis with his wife who has been in the city for the past two weeks visiting her cousin, Mrs. Morton Jourdan.

Our piano contest closed Saturday, April 16, and yet we enroll eight new subscribers this week. The Great Favorite Weekly continues to grow in popular favor, and there are more and more people who just won't do without it.

Don't let anyone talk you into using anything but Mound City Horse Shoe paint. Look at the jobs around you and see if the Horse Shoe paint isn't giving better satisfaction than any other paint. We have it here for you.

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Mr. and Mrs. Will Graham of Hillsboro, Tex., were guests at the T. J. Martin home a portion of last week. Mrs. Graham's maiden name was Miss Ella Staples of Brunswick. Mrs. Fannie Watson of Dallas, Tex., was also a visitor at the Martin home at the same time.

Got any hens setting? Better have some of Fleek's lice exterminator on hand to keep mifer away. Sold by Burns.

W. W. Price of Sturgeon, Boone county, was here Tuesday representing the J. A. Lamy Manufacturing Co. of Sedalia, Mo., wholesale dealers in underwear and working-men's shirts, overalls, etc. Mr. Price is an old Chariton county boy having been born and reared over near Dalton. He is an appreciative reader of the COURIER, and has our thanks for adjusting his subscription to January, 1910, while here Tuesday.

Virginia, the 14 or 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hurt of the Forks of Chariton, was so unfortunate as to cut her right wrist severely Tuesday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Minnie Hurt, on East Bridge street where she boards and attends our public school. Virginia and her cousin, Pow Agee Hurt, were running on their return from school, and when Virginia reached the house she slipped on the matting at the front door and fell through a glass in the door and sustained the injury stated above. Dr. Isaiah Knott sewed up the wound and found it necessary to take two stitches.

Probate court Monday week.

The city council meets next Monday night.

Mackerel, the kind you pay 10c for, going at three for 25c at Burns.

The regular May term of county and circuit court convene next Monday, May 2.

Elgin, Waltham, and all reliable American watches, for sale and warranted by W. C. Gaston. F. W. M. Hartung and John Naberhaus and their neighbor, a Mr. Nelson, all of near Forest Green, made a business trip to Keytesville Monday. The COURIER acknowledges the receipt of an agreeable call from the gentlemen.

When your wife begins to complain about that cook stove being so hot, just put on your hat and move. Don't stop until you get to the lumber yard and order one of those Perfection Oil stoves sent down to your house. For sale by the Keytesville Lumber Co.

A. T. Dille, one of the intelligent citizens and progressive farmers and stock men of Clark township, paid his respects to the COURIER Tuesday and left us a substantial token of his visit. Mr. Dille says he likes the COURIER because it is a truth-teller. There are hundreds of other people who feel the same way.

Ben L. Emmons of St. Charles, Mo., has succeeded his sister, Miss Margaret, who recently became Mrs. A. R. (Roy) Pearson, as head abstractor for the Minter Lamkin Abstract Co. He is a nice-looking young man and thoroughly understands his business.

Catherine, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ewing of 1 1/2 miles west of this place, had her wrist badly cut by the slamming of an outer door at the Keytesville public school building Friday afternoon. A glass in the door crashed and a large piece struck Catherine on the right wrist, cutting a gash two inches long and nearly to the bone. Three stitches were taken by Dr. B. Hughes in order to close the wound.

Write F. M. Bruster, Jerico Springs, Mo., for list of lands and prices in the Ozark country of Southwest Missouri.

F. M. BRUSTER,  
Jerico Springs, Mo.

The musicale given by the Eadington Sisters of Salisbury at the Keytesville Methodist church Saturday night and the select readings rendered by Misses Nadine Walther, May Hershey and Grace Closson, all of Keytesville, delighted all who attended. The Eadington Sisters are vocalists of superior talent while the three Keytesville young ladies who took part in the program acquitted themselves with much credit. At the conclusion of this entertainment Mrs. W. F. Bentley of Forest Green, who is among Chariton county's most earnest and successful temperance workers, organized a young people's branch of the W. C. T. U. and those who joined then organized what is known to the temperance people as the F. L. T. U.

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Rev. T. J. Shearon preaches at Old Corinth the first Sunday in May.

Thirty-cent pails of cottolene for 20c while they last at Burns. Better get them quick.

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W. C. GASTON.

Rev. H. P. Silver New York City, was a guest at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Hill's home last week.

A fine place to take your best girl, wife or sister is Stowe's Uncle Tom's Cabin under a big tent Monday evening, May 2.

A doctor offers to make any one courageous by performing a simple operation. Anyone simple enough to submit to that kind of an operation has courage enough already.

Besides a company of clever dramatic people you are entertained between acts by high class vaudeville at Uncle Tom's Cabin show in Keytesville Monday, May 2.

A Kansas mule recently kicked a woman in the jaw in such a manner as to cause her to bite off half of her tongue. The mule may yet be recognized as a useful member of society.

Dr. B. Hughes of this place has sold his runabout Brush automobile to W. H. Norcross of Harris, Sullivan county. The doctor says he is glad to get rid of the pesky thing.

J. H. Crews, now of Columbia, Mo., but who at one time ran the Brown house here, was in Keytesville Friday representing the Lowney Candy Co. of St. Louis. His daughter, Miss Roe, who will be remembered by Keytesville people as a little red-headed, sprightly tot, is now an accomplished young lady and a talented vocalist, and is to be married some time in June to Marshall Walker of Columbia, a grandson of former State Treasurer John Walker of Howard county.

H. A. Fleming and son, H. W., of Missouri township made the COURIER a pleasant call while at capital Friday. We regret to learn that the elder Fleming is having trouble with his eyes, one of which he had an operation performed for cataract about two years ago, but failed to get the result he had so fondly hoped for. The operation caused sympathetic ophthalmia to set up in his other eye and that has also caused more or less trouble ever since. He can see to get around but is able to read but little.

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Wm. Binford, a brother of T. H. Binford of Keytesville, sends us \$1 to have the COURIER mailed to his address at Topeka, Kas., and tells us that as he grows older he finds himself more anxious to hear from his old home and especially Keytesville and its people, and, in fact, all of Chariton county, he having come here 55 years ago this spring, and though he has spent most of his time away from Keytesville he has always felt that it was home, and, like the prodigal son, is always glad to get back. Mr. Binford says that they have had an unusual spring in Kansas and had May weather in March and March weather in April, though very little rain or snow that the fruit and early vegetables have escaped so far, and they hope to have plenty of fruit.

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Recorder J. W. Wayland issued a marriage license Tuesday, April 27, to T. H. Minor and Miss Willie Jeff Dougherty, both of Salisbury.

Parties having old papers to contribute to the Methodist church will please notify Mrs. W. L. Wright, Mrs. H. B. Richardson, Mrs. L. E. Shane or Mrs. E. W. Herring, who will call and get them.

Rev. J. C. Carney of Prairie Hill, Rev. M. F. Crow, Eld. G. F. Bassett and J. L. Ritzenthaler of Salisbury and Eld. R. S. Robinson of Brunswick were among those who attended the statewide prohibition meeting at the courthouse Tuesday, April 26.

Ercel Heryford of Salisbury has a garage and can give you the best of service in repairing your automobile. Prices reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.

We are informed that there is several hundred dollars' worth of bridge lumber belonging to Chariton county lying on the ground over at Dalton that has been there for the past three or four years and some of it is beginning to rot. Who is responsible for this state of affairs? The official who buys bridge lumber and fails to put it into bridges where it is needed. Of course it is not necessary to tell you who this official is. You have all heard of him and most of us know him to his own gain and the county's financial disadvantage.

WANTED:—A good hand to work on farm, three miles east of Moberly. German preferred. Good wages. Riding machinery. Apply at this office.

Old newspapers for sale at this office at 20c per hundred.

Mrs. A. W. Knott of Montrose, Colo., whose maiden name was Miss Ella McCormick of Sumner, underwent an operation for appendicitis which was performed at Kansas City by Dr. Chas. Sheldon of that city Monday. We are glad to learn that she is getting along nicely and that a permanent cure of her malady is indicated.

The freeze of Friday night and Saturday night and Saturday night especially, did a great deal of damage to the fruit, entirely destroying plums, cherries, currants and grapes, and greatly damaging strawberries if not putting them out of business altogether. Apples and peaches also suffered heavy losses, but it is claimed that they were not all killed. The weather clerk has evidently been running too fast for the past three years and jumped a cog and as a result the warm weather in March and the cold weather in April have wrought much havoc.

Rev. J. A. Snarr will preach at Adams chapel Sunday night, May 1.

All kinds of automobile repairs done by Ercel Heryford of Salisbury.

Roy B. McKittrick of Salisbury announces his candidacy in this issue of COURIER for the Democratic nomination for prosecuting attorney. Mr. McKittrick read law in the office of Lamb & Lamb of Salisbury and was admitted to the bar last June. He is an ambitious, energetic and deserving young man.

We have a tip to the effect that the bogus coupon deal in the COURIER piano contest is getting uncomfortably close to a close friend of that sore, sorrel, scrub monkey, who, at last reports, was still hanging by his caudal appendage over a certain feed store. Just so sure as we can learn who conceived and executed that dirty deal just that sure we will send the guilty villain to the penitentiary for attempting to obtain goods under false pretenses.

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